PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of

Hiroyuki NAGASAKA

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For: EXPOSURE METHOD, EXPOSURE

APPARATUS, EXPOSURE SYSTEM AND

DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD

Group Art Unit: 2882 Examiner:

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LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR **CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicant hereby requests continued examination.

Applicant further requests entry and consideration of the attached submission.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 233433 in the amount of \$\infty\$ \$810.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated for this filing to Deposit Account No. 15-0461.

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